

REMARKS

Claims 79-138 are canceled without prejudice.

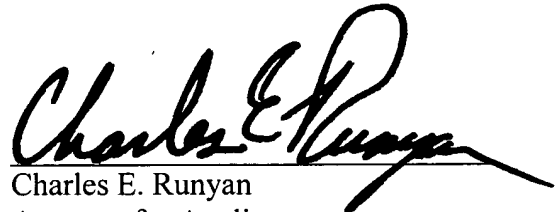
Claims 139-154 are newly added. Applicant believes that these claims all read on the previously elected invention. Applicant, as to the second restriction requirement elects the species directed towards polyurethane having non-polar soft segments. As to the "material" species election requirement, Applicant elects 3, the therapeutic substance contacting surface. Applicant believes that all claims correctly read on each of these species.

All claims are in a condition for allowance, please issue a Notice of Allowability so stating. If I can be of any help, please contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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